

THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

PARK HUNG QUAN,

Defendant.

CASE NO. CR19-0148-JCC

ORDER

This matter comes before the Court on the parties' stipulated motion to continue trial and the pretrial motions deadline (Dkt. No. 19) and Defendant's speedy trial waiver (Dkt. No. 20). Having thoroughly considered the filings, and based on the facts set forth in the parties' motion, the Court finds FINDS as follows:

1. A failure to grant the continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv). In addition, the failure to grant a continuance would likely result in a miscarriage of justice, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i).

2. The ends of justice will be served by ordering a continuance in this case, as a continuance is necessary to ensure adequate time for the defense to effectively prepare for trial. All of these factors outweigh the best interests of the public and Defendant in a more speedy trial, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7).

1 For those reasons, the parties' stipulated motion for a continuance (Dkt. No. 19) is
2 GRANTED. The Court ORDERS that trial in this matter be continued from October 7, 2019 to
3 April 27, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. Pre-trial motions are due no later than February 24, 2020. It is
4 further ORDERED that the time between the date of this order and the new trial date is
5 excludable time under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161 *et seq.*

6 DATED this 3rd day of September 2019.

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